

IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH

Sr. No.254

CRM NO. M-41537 of 2014
DECIDED ON : MAY 24, 2016

PREM PAL SINGH AND OTEHRS

....PETITIONERS

VERSUS

STATE OF PUNJAB AND ANOTHER

....RESPONDENTS

CORAM : HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE JASPAL SINGH

1. Whether Reporters of local papers may be allowed to see the judgment?
2. To be referred to the Reporters or not?
3. Whether the judgment should be reported in the Digest?

Present : Mr. G.N. Malik, Advocate,
for the petitioners.

Mr. A.S. Sidhu, AAG, Punjab.

JASPAL SINGH, J. (ORAL)

This is a petition under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure seeking quashing of FIR No. 113 dated July 21, 2013, under Sections 307, 323, 506, 148 & 149 IPC and 25 of Arms Act, registered at Police Station Shahkot, District Jalandhar City (Annexure P-1) and all subsequent proceedings arising therefrom, on the basis of compromise (Annexure P-2).

2 Report of learned trial Court has been received, wherein, it has been categorically observed that the matter has been compromised between the parties with the intervention of respectables, without any pressure, coercion and the same

appears to be genuine. Even otherwise, matter involved in these proceedings is personal in nature, which has been amicably put at rest.

3. So, in view of circumstances narrated above as well as the observations made in cases reported as ***Kulwinder Singh and others vs. State of Punjab and another***; 2007(3) RCR (Criminal) 1052 and ***Narinder Singh and Others Vs. State of Punjab and Another (2014) 6 SCC 466***, I am of the considered opinion that continuation of criminal proceedings between the parties would be an abuse of the process of law and the present compromise is for the benefit of the parties and would certainly bring peace and harmony between them.

4. Consequently, instant petition stands allowed and FIR No. 113 dated July 21, 2013, under Sections 307, 323, 506, 148 & 149 IPC and 25 of Arms Act, registered at Police Station Shahkot, District Jalandhar City (Annexure P-1) and all subsequent proceedings arising out of the same are quashed qua petitioners.

MAY 24, 2016

Ankur

(JASPAL SINGH)
JUDGE